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[RP1.064] First Results From The High Current Experiment

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First Results From The High Current Experiment¹ P.A. SEIDL, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, D. BACA, LBNL, F.M. BIENIOSEK, LBNL, C.M. CELATA, LBNL, A. FALTENS, LBNL, L. PROST, LBNL, A. FRIEDMAN, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, S.M. LUND, LLNL, A.W. MOLVIK, LLNL, W.W. WALDRON, LBNL The High Current Experiment (HCX) is being assembled at LBNL as part of the US program to explore heavy-ion beam transport at a scale representative of the low-energy end of an induction linac driver for fusion energy production. The primary mission of this experiment is to investigate aperture fill factors (F) acceptable for the transport of space-charge dominated heavy-ion beams at high space-charge intensity (line-charge density ~ 0.2 microC/m) over long pulse durations (≥ 4 microsec). We present the phase space evolution of a well-matched K⁺ ion beam transported ($F \approx 0.5$) through the first 10 electrostatic transport quadrupoles and 4 magnetic quadrupoles, including data from newly developed diagnostics. Later phases of the experiment will include more electrostatic lattice periods to allow more sensitive tests of emittance growth, and more measurements in magnetic quadrupoles to explore electron cloud issues on a driver scale.

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